

01 corresponding to the distance of displacement of the slide (30) perpendicularly to the longitudinal direction of the racks.

Please add new claim 10 as follows:

02 10. (New) A device according to claim 8, characterized in that in the area of each pair (38a, 38a' and 38b, 38b') of racks the slide (30) has two parallel projections (42a, 42a', 42b, 42b') to be engaged in one rack each, and that the notches each have a length essentially corresponding to the corresponding width of the intermediate guide groove (44, 48), again corresponding to the distance of displacement of the slide (30) perpendicularly to the longitudinal direction of the racks.

REMARKS

The purpose of the forgoing Amendment is to submit the Abstract on a single separate sheet and to delete multiple dependent claims, placing the application in better form for examination under U.S. practice. No new matter is entered.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTACHMENT I

ATTACHMENT II

9. A device according to [any one of the preceding claims] claim 7, characterized in that in the area of each pair (38a,38a' and 38b,38b') of racks the slide (30) has two parallel projections (42a, 42a', 42b, 42b') to be engaged in one rack each, and that the notches each have a length essentially corresponding to the corresponding width of the intermediate guide groove (44, 48), again corresponding to the distance of displacement of the slide (30) perpendicularly to the longitudinal direction of the racks.